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PATENT 36856.848

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Masanobu OKADA

Serial No.: 10/042,833

Filed: January 8, 2002

Title: SHIELDING CASE AND ELECTRONIC

DEVICE HAVING THE SAME

Art Unit: 3729

Examiner: M. Trinh

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a ONE-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 5, 2003, or until March 5, 2004.

Enclosed is a Credit Card Payment form for \$110.00 to pay the ONE-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(1).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1353.

Respectfully submitted.

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